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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of

Yoshikazu KASUYA

Group Art Unit: 2528

Application No.: 10/689,990

Examiner: Victor Yevsikov

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Docket No.: 117588

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

CONFIRMATION OF TELEPHONE ELECTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A telephone requirement for restriction was made in connection with the above-identified patent application on May 4, 2004.

The undersigned confirms that in response to that telephone requirement, a provisional election was made to prosecute Group I, claims 1-6.

Said provisional election was specifically made with traverse since no basis therefor has been set forth in the written record.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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